Amendment of guidelines of MPLADS

2114. SHRI K. M. KHAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that due to non-release of funds to Members of Rajya Sabha and Lok Saoha under the Member of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme (MPLADS) huge funds are lying idle in the Banks;

(b) if so, the reasons for not-releasing the funds alongwith the details of idle fund lying in the Banks;

(c) whether Government are contemplating to amend the guidelines of the MPLADS;

(d) if so, by when a proposal would be finalised in this regard; and

(e) if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI ARUN SHOURIE): (a) and (b) Under MPLADS sanctions are normally issued by the concerned District Heads after receipt of funds. The utilisation occurs thereafter. There is, thus, always a time lag between the release of funds and its actual expenditure. Factors like civil nature of works proposed by the MPs, limited working seasons in some States, operation of Model Code of Conduct during elections, incidence of a large number of works recommended under the Scheme each involving small outlays, are also responsible for this level of utilisation. The State-wise utilisation is given in the enclosed Statement *(See* below). Bank-wise figure of expenditure are available with the concerned District authorities.

(c) to (e) Guidelines are under constant review and as and when necessary these are revised in consultation with the Committees on MPLADS, Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha.

Statement

Member of Parliament Local Area Development Scheme

Summary Statement for Release/Expenditure of LS and RS MP's (as on 30/06/2001)

SI. No.	Name of State/UTs	1993—2002				
		Release by G.O.I. (Rs. Lakhs)	Amount Sanctioned (Rs. Lakhs)	% Sanction over Release	Expenditure Incurred (Rs. Lakhs)	% Utilisation over Release
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Nominated	9120	7142.0	78.3	5370.1	58.9
2.	Andhra Pradesh	65385	59916.0	91.6	44185.0	67.6
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	3015	2764.5	91.7	2389.6	79.3
4.	Assam	19935	17647.0	88.5	14422.6	72.3
5.	Bihar	56910	49797.0	87.5	36868.8	64.8
6.	Goa	2415	2108.1	87.3	1645.2	68.1
7.	Gujarat	36125	31367.0	86.8	22900.6	63.4
8.	Haryana	14915	13574.0	91.0	11074.7	74.3
9.	Himachal Pradesh	6935	6037.5	87.1	5035.5	72.6
10.	J & K	6050	4891.5	80.9	2669.3	44.1
11.	Karnataka	39790	35377.0	88.9	26790.6	67.3
12.	Kerala	28275	25086.0	88.7	15654.1	55.4
13.	Madhya Pradesh	41840	37160.0	88.8	29157.8	69.7
14.	Maharashtra	66365	59562.0	89.7	37844.7	57.0

15.	Manipur	3115	2749.1	88.3	2220.4	71.3
16.	Meghalaya	2415	2028.5	84.0	1991.1	82.4
17.	Mizoram	2310	2120.7	91.8	2012.2	87.1
18.	Nagaland	2210	1910.0	86.4	1217.0	55.1
19.	Orissa	31670	27847.0	87.9	17646.4	55.7
20.	Punjab	18195	15818.0	86.9	9346.4	51.4
21.	Rajasthan	36495	32913.0	90.2	25053.5	68.6
22.	Sikkim	2000	1810.0	90.5	1654.1	82.7
23.	Tamil Nadu	61535	56236.0	91.4	50683.2	82.4,
24.	Tripura	2915	2617.4	89.8	1149.3	39.4
25.	Uttar Pradesh	113940	102155.0	89.7	79194.5	69.5
26.	West Bengal	52705	45905.0	87.1	28175.3	53.5
27.	A & N Islands	505	470.4	93.1	480.4	95.1
28.	Chandigarh	705	651.2	92.4	440.1	62.4

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
29.	D & N Havcli	1005	914.2	91.0	536.9	53.4
30.	Daman & Diu	805	667.5	82.9	471.4	58.6
31.	Delhi	9695	8251.5	85.1	6154.3	63.5
32.	Lakshdweep	805	716.4	89.0	716.4	89.0
33.	Pondicherry	2410	2993.9	124.2	1321.7	54.8
34.	Chhattisgarh	15245	13791.0	90.5	11287.7	74.0
35.	Uttaranchal	6825	5951.3	87.2	4534.1	66.4
36.	Jharkhand	14280	11767.0	82.4	8910.7	62.4
	Grand TOTAL	778860	692709.4	88.9	511205.7	65.6
	Orissa Relief	340	340.0			